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Portraits of Edmund S. Muskie  circa 1920-1996
Boxes 1, 2, 78¹
Formal and studio portraits, some including Jane G. Muskie. Box 78 includes portraits prior to 1940, as well as photographs of portraits in other media (e.g. stone, bronze, paint)

Edmund S. Muskie alone  circa 1954-1996
Boxes 3, 4, 79
Informal portraits, outdoor portraits, and candid shots of Edmund S. Muskie alone, which are not part of larger series of photographs. Includes images reproduced widely on campaign literature.

Speeches and press conferences  circa 1954-1996
Boxes 14, 94
Shots of Edmund S. Muskie giving speeches and speaking at press conferences, which are not part of larger series of photographs. Photographs of Muskie speaking at events and in academic robes can be found under “events” and “receiving awards,” respectively. Each of the sets of campaign photographs also contains images of Muskie speaking.

Hearings and meetings  circa 1959-1980
Boxes 15, 95
Action shots of Muskie before, during or after hearings and meetings.

Oversize Muskie portraits and similar²
Boxes OV2, OV3, OV7, OV8, OV9, OV10 contain framed prints
Boxes OV11 and OV12 contain unframed prints
Includes portraits, Edmund S. Muskie alone, speeches and press conferences.

Television and radio appearances, and with celebrities  circa 1954-1990
Boxes 16, 96
Muskie being interviewed or speaking on TV and radio, plus a few images of him with non-political celebrities, including Jerry Lewis and Dean Martin.

Receiving honorary degrees and awards  circa 1955-1990
Boxes 17, 97
Mostly Edmund S. Muskie and others in academic robes, in association with him receiving an honorary degree. Includes images of him speaking in academic robes. Images of him receiving an honorary degree from Bates can be found under “At Bates and Bates-related”.

¹ Each box contains approximately 50-200 images, depending on image size. The entire collection is estimated to contain over 10,000 images.
² A separate, detailed list of all oversize photographs (larger than 8” x 10”) is available online.
Recreation and with lobster       circa 1954-1996
Boxes 13, 93
Edmund S. Muskie and others engaging in hunting, fishing, golfing, skiing, cribbage and other social activities; and Edmund S. Muskie and others posing with lobster. Box 13 also includes images of Edmund S. Muskie and staffers celebrating his birthdays in the 1970s.

With family and friends, and hosting U.N Group in Maine       circa 1945-1958
Box 6
Snapshots of Edmund S. Muskie at informal gatherings (e.g., cookouts) with friends and family, and of he and Jane Muskie with U.N. members and their wives during two recreational events hosted in Maine. Also includes several shots of Blaine House, the Maine governor’s mansion. See Box 85 for additional images of Blaine House.

Edmund S. Muskie birthdays, funeral, grave and memorial       circa 1975-2005
Box 81
Celebrating two of Edmund S. Muskie’s later birthdays; several contact prints of people gathering outside his funeral, and several shots of his grave. See also box 13 for images of Muskie and staffers celebrating other birthdays of his. Images of his 80th birthday celebration at Bates college can be found under “At Bates and Bates-related”. Several digital-only shots of Jane and Stephen Muskie at the 2005 memorial dedication in Rumford are also available.

Edmund S. Muskie early life, parents and home town       circa 1890-1973
Box 82
Formal portraits and snapshots of Edmund S. Muskie’s parents from throughout their lives, along with snapshots of Edmund S. Muskie’s childhood and life prior to WWII. Includes images of Muskie as a summer hotel employee in Kennebunk, Maine. Also includes images of Rumford, Maine and its sports teams from the 1890s through the 1930s. Studio portraits from this era can be found under “Portraits of Edmund S. Muskie”. Images as a student at Bates College can be found under “At Bates and Bates-related”.

Edmund and Eugene Muskie during military service       circa 1942-1945
Box 80
Formal portraits and snapshots of Edmund S. Muskie and his brother, Eugene Muskie, in uniform and during WWII-era military service. Includes images of Muskie’s naval hazing, Eugene’s travels to California and other activities. Also includes strips of motion picture feature films, which were received with Muskie’s manuscript material from this period.
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Muskie family
Box 83 circa 1920-1950
Boxes 7, 84, 85 circa 1940-1965
Boxes 8, 86 circa 1965-1985
Box 87 circa 1980-2005
   In earlier years, includes Edmund S. Muskie, his parents and siblings. Later, includes
   Edmund S. and Jane G. Muskie with their children and grandchildren. Family portraits
   including those used for campaigns, snapshots, school portraits, weddings, family reunions,
   etc. Box 85 also includes images of Blaine House, the Maine governor’s mansion. See box 6
   for additional images of Blaine House.

Oversize prints of Jane G. Muskie and Muskie family
One unboxed print
Boxes OV9, OV10, OV11 contain framed prints
Box OV13 contains unframed prints

Extended family
Box 89, 90, 91, 92
   Includes Edmund S. Muskie’s siblings with their spouses and children, relatives of Josephine
   Czarnecka Muskie (Edmund S. Muskie’s mother) from Buffalo, NY, and other unidentified
   relatives. Most of these images belonged to Josephine Muskie, and came from her estate.
   Box 89 includes several shots from Edmund S. Muskie’s senate office, of him with some of
   his “Buffalo relatives”.

Muskie family, likely shot by Steve Muskie
Box 11
   Informal portraits and candid shots of Edmund S. Muskie, Jane G. Muskie and family, mostly
   shot at home. Includes two shots taken by a photojournalist that show Steve Muskie taking
   several of the images in this set. Other photographs taken by Steve Muskie can be found in
   box 36.
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Muskie family campaign portraits
Box 10
Formal Muskie family portrait taken on election evening 1970 in Waterville, Maine, plus informal color images with Edmund S. Muskie’s mother and sisters from the same day or the next day. Candid and informal portraits of the Muskie family taken at Kennebunk home and beach by Tom Jones in 1971. Also includes images of an award and Edmund S. Muskie posing with it. Both the formal family portrait and images of the family on the beach were used in campaign literature.

Box 12
Candid and informal portraits of Edmund S. and Jane Muskie and their three youngest children taken by Denis Brack of Black Star in their Washington home for the 1976 campaign. Includes images of Edmund S. Muskie speaking on a telephone which were used in the campaign, and are also included under “Edmund S. Muskie alone”. Related portrait of Edmund and Jane Muskie can be found under “Edmund S. Muskie portraits”.

Jane G. Muskie
circa 1930-2000
Boxes 5, 88
Formal and informal portraits of Jane Muskie, snapshots and pictures of Jane Muskie posing with various people. Box 88 includes Jane G. and Edmund S. Muskie’s wedding, as well as photographs with first ladies Nancy Reagan, Barbara Bush and Hillary Clinton.

Steve Muskie wedding and Muskie Kennebunk home
1968, 1970
Box 9
Images from Steve Muskie’s wedding to Alexis Muskie in 1970; also, aerial and surveillance images of Muskie’s home in Kennebunk, Maine taken by the Secret Service in 1968.

Staff
circa 1954-1981
Boxes 18, 98
Portraits and snapshots of people who worked for Edmund S. Muskie. Images of staff members can also be found under “Hearings and meetings” (particularly Don E. Nicoll and Leon G. Billings) and with images of Muskie’s birthday celebrations.

Interns
circa 1965-1980
Boxes 19, 99
Muskie posing with interns who worked in his senate office.

At Bates and Bates-related
circa 1932-1994
Boxes 20, 100
Edmund S. Muskie as a student at Bates, at Bates reunions and other events, speaking at alumni events, at the opening of the Muskie archives, and at his 80th birthday celebration.
With politicians and government officials  
Box 103 circa 1954-1958  
Boxes 65, 66 circa 1959-1980  
Box 104 circa 1959-1969  
Box 105 circa 1970-1980  
Box 106 circa 1981-1996
Edmund S. Muskie with politicians and government officials, other than those identified individually below. Box 103 includes images with John F. Kennedy and Edward Kennedy, from all dates. Box 106 includes images of the Tower Commission.

With Maine politicians  
Box 112 circa 1940-1969  
Box 113 after approximately 1960
Edmund S. Muskie with politicians from the state of Maine including Frank Coffin, Lucia M. Cormier, Stanley R. Tupper, Kenneth Curtis, Peter Kyros, George Mitchell, Joseph Brennan, and a few shots including Margaret Chase Smith. Includes numerous unidentified individuals. Other prints of Maine politicians, primarily Associated Press wire photos, can be found in box 22.

With governors and campaigning outside of Maine  
Box 23
Governor Edmund S. Muskie with other governors, at governors’ conventions and campaigning for other Democrats outside of the state of Maine. Following his dark horse victory in 1954, Muskie became somewhat of a national Democratic Party celebrity, and as such was invited to campaign for other candidates, particularly during the time between Maine’s election in September, and most states’ elections in November.

With Stewart Udall  
Box 109
Muskie with Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall, mostly on trips to Maine. Includes one print of Udall and Muskie looking over the Berlin Wall, inscribed to Muskie from Udall. See also Passamaquoddy Project events and trips, in Boxes 114 and 115.

With Margaret Chase Smith  
Box 23
Edmund S. Muskie and Margaret Chase Smith, usually posing with other people. In several cases, accompanied by handwritten or signed notes from Sen. Smith to Muskie. Images of the entire Maine delegation can be found under “Maine Politicians” in boxes 112-113, images with President Eisenhower can be found in box 22.
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With presidents and during presidential campaigns  circa 1954-1996
Boxes 26, 103 with John F. Kennedy, and 1960 campaign
Boxes 27, 28, 108 with Lyndon B. Johnson, 1964 campaign and 1965 inauguration
Boxes 67, 107 with Jimmy Carter, and 1976 campaign
  Edmund S. Muskie with Kennedy, Johnson and Carter, any dates; and Muskie campaigning for their presidential elections.

Oversize prints of Muskie with John F. Kennedy
Boxes OV4, OV6, OV8, OV11 contain framed prints
Box OV14 contains unframed prints

Oversize prints of Muskie with Lyndon B. Johnson
Boxes OV5, OV7, OV11 contain framed prints
Box OV15 contains unframed prints

Oversize prints of Muskie with other politicians and notables
Boxes OV1, OV5, OV6, OV7, OV9 contain framed prints
Boxes OV11 and OV16 contain unframed prints

Various Muskie campaigns, elections and gubernatorial inauguration  circa 1954-1976
Box 117
  Does not include images clearly identifiable as relating to 1972 presidential campaign.
  Includes scrapbook apparently created by staff members of memorable events during 1968 campaign. Gubernatorial inauguration photographs also in Box 22.

Elections, gubernatorial inauguration, addressing the state legislature, other Maine politicians, and Eisenhower in Maine  circa 1954-1958
Box 22
  Images of Edmund S. and Jane Muskie voting and celebrating election wins, Muskie inaugurated as governor, Governor Muskie addressing the Maine state legislature, and President Eisenhower’s visit to Maine. Related images in box 117.

Oversize Life Magazine prints of 1954 gubernatorial campaign
Box OV13

Senate campaign  1958
Boxes 24, 25
  Box 24 includes images taken for and published by Look magazine, along with related negatives and other images from the same events. Box 25 includes 35mm negatives, contact prints and some 8x10 prints, including a concert with Muskie and Louis Armstrong onstage together at Old Orchard Beach, Muskie speaking with Mainers all over the state, and Muskie at home with his children. See also boxes 22 and 117.
Humphrey-Muskie presidential campaign 1968
Boxes 29, 30, 34
Box 34 features shots of Edmund S. Muskie with his family and others on election night, and photos of Jane Muskie during that campaign. See also box 117, which includes a photo scrapbook apparently created by staff members of memorable events during the 1968 campaign.

Oversize prints of Muskie with the Humphreys and during 1968 campaign
One unboxed print
Boxes OV1, OV4 contain framed prints
Box OV14 contains unframed prints

Election eve speech, and election night 1970
Boxes 32, 33
In 1970, the Democratic Party purchased 15 minutes of prime time television, and asked Senator Muskie to use that time to urge the American people to vote Democratic in a midterm election that was seen by many as a referendum on Nixon and his policies. The contact sheets and prints in these boxes, all by Maine photographer Tom Jones, document Muskie taping that speech in the Cape Elizabeth home of Maine frozen food magnate Gus Barber and family, as well as events the next day when Muskie voted then watched election results with family and supporters in Waterville, Maine.

Muskie presidential campaign circa 1970-1972
Boxes 38, 39, 40, 41, 119
Boxes 36, 37, 120, 121 contact prints only
Boxes 34, 35 Jane Muskie during campaign
Boxes 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 118 images by or likely to be by Burton Berinsky
Although he did not officially declare his candidacy for the Democratic Party nomination for the presidency until 1972, Muskie began an organized campaign for the presidency in 1969 or 1970. It is difficult to delineate what of Muskie’s activities from this time period constituted campaigning, but in general these images include events where he spoke to or interacted with large numbers of people, including at fundraisers. It is also difficult to delineate what activities were part of his 1970 campaign for senate reelection and what were part of his 1972 presidential bid; both are likely represented in these images.

In 1970 or 1971, freelance photographer Burton Berinsky was requested by a national news organization to “stay close to Muskie”. Berinsky accompanied Muskie on many trips both nationally and internationally, and was granted significant behind-the-scenes access to the Senator and his staff throughout the campaign. The over 500 prints and proof sheets in this collection are the most complete visual documentation of the campaign.
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Presentation albums 1955-1958
Box 51
Albums presented to Governor Muskie. Include a military inspection, a Maine bomb manufacturer and the Rockport Lobster Festival.

Events and posing with people circa 1954-1969
Boxes 49, 50, 129 circa 1954-1958
Box 54 circa 1959-1969
Edmund S. Muskie at events such as dinners and fundraisers, and posing with various people, many in his office. Includes photographs of Muskie giving speeches, when also accompanied by other images of the event.

Events circa 1959-1996
Box 130 circa 1959-1965
Box 131 circa 1966-1967
Box 132 circa 1968-1969
Box 133 circa 1969-1970
Boxes 61, 62, 134 circa 1970-1980
Boxes 77, 136 circa 1981-1996
Edmund S. Muskie, sometimes accompanied by Jane G. Muskie, at events such as dinners and fundraisers. Includes images of Muskie giving speeches, when also accompanied by other shots of the event. Does not include events known to have taken place in Maine, nor events that likely took place while Muskie was secretary of state.

Posing with people circa 1954-1980
Box 141 circa 1959-1969
Box 63, 64, 142 circa 1970-1980
Box 53 poster children, Special Olympics event and senior citizens circa 1954-1980
Box 143 groups, award winners, poster children and scouts circa 1959-1980

With military and veterans circa 1954-1980
Boxes 52, 140
Includes images of Governor Muskie inspecting national guard troops, as well as Senator Muskie posing with Military officers and members of veterans’ groups. Includes Muskie receiving AMVETS silver helmet award.

With industry and labor circa 1950-1980
Boxes 58, 138, 139
Includes images of Muskie visiting mills, Portsmouth Naval Yard, Bath Iron Works and other local industrial employers, as well as speaking to labor groups and attending launchings at Bath Iron Works. Other images of Muskie visiting local mills can be found under campaigns, especially 1958 and 1964.
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Environmental  
Box 111  
Includes images of Muskie and other politicians looking at electric cars, with displays about environmental pollution, and Muskie receiving an environmentally-related award. Images of Lyndon Johnson signing environmental legislation can be found in boxes 27 and 28.

Roosevelt Campobello International Park Commission  
Boxes 55, 116  
Images of the Commission and events at the park. Images of Muskie, Sen. Smith and Secretary Udall at the island circa 1963 can be found in boxes 114 and 115. Images of Lyndon Johnson and family visiting the park can be found in boxes 27 and 28.

Passamaquoddy Tidal Power/Quoddy Project meetings and trip  
Boxes 114, 115  
Muskie, Secretary Udall, Rep. Tupper, Sen. Smith and others at meetings and on trips in Maine related to the proposed project.

Muskie in Maine  
Boxes 55, 127 circa 1959-1969  
Boxes 57, 128 after approximately 1970  
Box 56 contact prints and negatives of 1975 coastal trip  
Box 59 photos by Black Star circa 1970-1979  
Senator Muskie traveling and speaking in Maine for political purposes (not personal). See also “With industry and labor,” most of which were also taken in Maine.

Jackson State trip  
Box 60  
In May 1970, Muskie organized a group of politicians, journalists and others who traveled together to Jackson, Mississippi to attend the funerals for two African American Jackson State students who were shot and killed by state police during campus unrest. The photos in this box document that trip.

International travel  
Boxes 68, 122, 123, 124, 125 circa 1959-1996  
Box 126 1971 travel, donated by Susan Harrigan  
Boxes 69, 70, 71 Europe trip 1979  
Boxes 146, 147 New Delhi, India trip 1983  
Includes images of Senator Muskie’s trips to the Soviet Union, Poland, Vietnam, China, Israel, Egypt, Cambodia, Namibia, and other locations, sometimes as a single senator, but usually as part of a delegation. Box 68 includes images of Muskie with foreign heads of state, both in the U.S. and abroad. Other images of Muskie’s travel abroad in early 1971 can be found among Berinsky’s photographs of the 1972 campaign, boxes 42-48 and 118.
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Secretary of state
Box 72 hearing and swearing in 1980
Boxes 73, 135 events as secretary of state 1980
Boxes 74, 75 and 76 Jane Muskie hosting events 1980
A significant number of images from this time can also be found under “Carter” in boxes 67 and 107.

Nestle Infant Formula Audit Commission (NIFAC) circa 1983-1990
Boxes 144-145
Images of the commission, and that were submitted to the commission as evidence. Includes images donated by J. Philip Wogamon.

Maine-related, but not Muskie-related circa 1954-1980
Boxes 21, 101
Mostly Associated Press wire photos of miscellaneous people and events in Maine, most dating from Muskie’s time as governor. Includes images of the newly-completed Maine Turnpike, people voting, a large man eating dozens of Maine eggs, etc.

Unassociated negatives from Senate Historical Office circa 1959-1980
Box 102
Negatives received from the Senate Historical Office in 2008, which have not yet been associated with their matching prints in the collection. Includes images of Muskie introducing his mother and daughter to Lyndon Johnson, as well as many 120mm negatives taken by members of his senate office staff.

Miscellaneous oversize prints
Boxes OV2, OV3, OV8 contain framed prints
Boxes OV10, 11, 17 contain unframed prints
Includes scenery, group portraits of the 97th and 98th Maine Legislatures and other items.
See detailed list.

Amerika (America Illustrated) photographs circa 1959
Box 148
This is a partial series of photographs taken by Robert Phillips for an article about Muskie, "The New Senator from Maine," which appeared in the United States Information Agency magazine Amerika (America Illustrated). These photographs were not used in the article. See also OV17.
Donated by Edward Sisson